

News Anchor Interview Questions

1. Share what method you use to analyze and interpret news and information received from various sources in order to be able to broadcast the information.

2. What kind of experience do you have writing commentaries, columns, or scripts, using computers? Share an example.

3. Walk me through how you examine news items of local, national, and international significance in order to determine topics to address, or obtain assignments from editorial staff members.

4. Share an experience where you coordinate and served as an anchor on news broadcast programs. How did it go?

5. What is the key to success when communicating with the public.

6. Share an experience you had in dealing with a difficult person and how you handled the situation.

7. Share an experience in which you successfully shared a difficult piece of information. (Make sure that the candidate has open lines of communication.)

8. Tell me how you organize, plan, and prioritize your work.

9. Give me an example of when you thought outside of the box. How did it help your employer?

10. Would you consider analyzing data or information a strength? How so?